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In re Patent Application of)	MAIL STOP RCE
Jin-Guang Teng)	Group Art Unit: 3633
Application No.: 10/797,045)	Examiner: JEANETTE E CHAPMAN
Filing Date: March 11, 2004)	Confirmation No.: 4689
Title: DOUBLE-SKIN TUBULAR STRUCTURAL MEMBERS)	
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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
TRANSMITTAL LETTER

MAIL STOP RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	Customer Number 21839
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Sir:

Applicant(s) requests continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application and encloses the ☒ \$405 ☐ \$810 fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e).

1. ☐ A. Applicant(s) requests that any previously unentered after final amendments not be entered. Continued examination is requested based on the enclosed documents identified in item 2 below.
- ☒ B. Applicant(s) previously submitted the following documents for which continued examination is requested:
- ☒ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on June 18, 2008.
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2. The following documents are enclosed with this submission:

- ☐ Amendment/Reply
- ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement
- ☒ Petition for Extension of Time

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3. ☒ Small entity status is hereby claimed.
- ☒ No additional claim fee is required.
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Examination Fee (1801)					\$ 810
	No. of Claims		Extra Claims	Rate	
Total Claims	5	20	0	x 50 (1202)	\$ 0
Independent Claims	2	3	0	x 210 (1201)	\$ 0
If multiple dependent claims are presented, add \$ 370					\$ 0
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Small Entity Status claimed - subtract 50% of Total Application Fee					\$ 405
TOTAL FEE DUE					\$ 405

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5. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

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